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In re Application of Gordon, et al. Application No. 09/781,483 Filed: February 10, 2001 Attorney Docket No.: DIVA/006 DIV1 For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING A MENU STRUCTURE FOR AN INTERACTIVE INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

This decision is in response to the request for corrected filing receipt filed October 5, 2001. This request is being treated under 37 CFR 1.10(c) as a petition to accorded the above-identified application a filing date of February 10, 2001 instead of the currently accorded filing date of February 12, 2001.

Petitioner alleges that the application was deposited in Express Mail service on February 10, 2001. Petitioner has provided evidence to this effect, including a copy of an "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" mailing label bearing tracking number EL736883222US (the same Express Mail number found on the application transmittal letter accompanying the original application papers located in the official file). The "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" label bears a "date-in" of February 10, 2001

In view of the above, the petition under 37 CFR 1.10(c) is GRANTED.

This application is being forwarded to the Official of Initial Patent Examination for correction of the filing date to February 10, 2001.

Telephone inquiries related to this decision may be directed to Petitions Attorney Alesia M. Brown at (703) 305-0310.

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